**The Role of Counseling in a 21st Century K-12 Education Model Where:**

***All students succeed academically and graduate no matter their circumstances.***

**Monday, January 10, 2011**

**Guiding Question:**

**How can I as a school counselor help build trust, commitment, collaboration and collective responsibility in my K-12 education setting to ensure student success in academics, career and personal social development?**

Long term target**:** As a result of the implementation of a comprehensive school counseling program we will have a robust, active role for counselors in the Missoula K-12 21st Century Education Model that ensures success for all students.

Short term targets:

* A shared understanding of the 4 components of a 21st century comprehensive counseling model
* Develop shared, group norms
* Align beliefs and philosophy, mission statement and counseling standards (student academic, career and social/personal development) with MCPS Mission, Vision, Beliefs and Goals

AGENDA

1. “Why” video
2. Reading, review agenda

**Every human has four endowments- self awareness, conscience, independent will and creative imagination. These give us the ultimate human freedom... The power to choose, to respond, to change.**

**– Stephen Covey**

1. Develop group norms
2. Share insights from reading—jig saw
3. Beliefs, philosophy, mission
4. Review the outcomes, determine next steps (please bring your calendar)